

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S2775–S2796

Measures Introduced: Nineteen bills and five resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1419–1437, S.J. Res. 20, and S. Res. 201–204. **Pages S2786–87**

Measures Reported:

Report to accompany S. 383, to support carbon dioxide utilization and direct air capture research, to facilitate the permitting and development of carbon capture, utilization, and sequestration projects and carbon dioxide pipelines. (S. Rept. No. 116–38)

Report to accompany S. 747, to reauthorize the diesel emissions reduction program. (S. Rept. No. 116–39)

S. 211, to amend the Victims of Crime Act of 1984 to secure urgent resources vital to Indian victims of crime. (S. Rept. No. 116–40)

S. 1208, to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 with respect to payments to certain public safety officers who have become permanently and totally disabled as a result of personal injuries sustained in the line of duty, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Measures Passed:

National Charter Schools Week: Senate agreed to S. Res. 202, congratulating the students, parents, teachers, and leaders of charter schools across the United States for making ongoing contributions to education, and supporting the ideals and goals of the 20th annual National Charter Schools Week, to be held on May 12 through May 18, 2019. **Page S2793**

Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association 80th Anniversary: Senate agreed to S. Res. 203, recognizing the 80th anniversary of the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association. **Page S2793**

Technical Corrections: Senate passed S. 1436, to make technical corrections to the computation of average pay under Public Law 110–279. **Page S2793**

Appointments:

Senate National Security Working Group: The Chair, on behalf of the Democratic Leader, pursuant

to the provisions of S. Res. 64, adopted March 5, 2013, appointed the following Senators as members of the Senate National Security Working Group for the 116th Congress: Senator Feinstein (Democratic Administrative Co-Chairman), Senator Reed (Democratic Co-Chairman), Senator Menendez (Democratic Co-Chairman), Senator Durbin, Senator Cardin, Senator Casey, Senator Duckworth, Senator Hassan, and Senator Sinema. **Page S2793**

Message from the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the continuation of the national emergency with respect to Yemen that was originally declared in Executive Order 13611 of May 16, 2012; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM–16) **Page S2786**

Truncate Nomination—Agreement: Senate resumed consideration of the nomination of Michael J. Truncate, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Texas. **Pages S2775–76, S2779–80**

During consideration of this nomination today, Senate also took the following action:

By 49 yeas to 43 nays (Vote No. EX. 107), Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the nomination. **Page S2779**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that all post-cloture time on the nomination expire at 10:45 a.m., on Tuesday, May 14, 2019. **Page S2780**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the nomination, post-cloture, at approximately 10 a.m., on Tuesday, May 14, 2019. **Page S2793**

Rosen Nomination—Cloture: Senate began consideration of the nomination of Jeffrey A. Rosen, of Virginia, to be Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice. **Pages S2776–79**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the nomination, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition

of the nomination of Brian J. Bulatao, of Texas, to be an Under Secretary of State (Management).

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Prior to the consideration of this nomination, Senate took the following action:

Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Legislative Session.

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Senate agreed to the motion to proceed to Executive Session to consider the nomination.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Robert Wallace, of Wyoming, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife.

Jeffrey Byard, of Alabama, to be Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security.

Douglas Russell Cole, of Ohio, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Ohio.

Vincent F. DeMarco, of New York, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of New York for the term of four years.

Charles R. Eskridge III, of Texas, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas.

William D. Hyslop, of Washington, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Washington for the term of four years.

Wilmer Ocasio, of Puerto Rico, to be United States Marshal for the District of Puerto Rico for the term of four years.

Peter Joseph Phipps, of Pennsylvania, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit.

Kea Whetzal Riggs, of New Mexico, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Mexico.

William Shaw Stickman IV, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

Peter M. Vito, of New York, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of New York for the term of four years.

Jennifer Philpott Wilson, of Pennsylvania, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Pennsylvania.

1 Navy nomination in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, and Navy.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:

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Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—107)

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 6:29 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, May 14, 2019. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2793.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at 12 noon on Tuesday, May 14, 2019.

Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D448)

H.R. 1222, to amend the Pittman-Robertson Wildlife Restoration Act to facilitate the establish-

ment of additional or expanded public target ranges in certain States. Signed on May 10, 2019. (Public Law 116–17)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, MAY 14, 2019

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

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Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: business meeting to consider the nominations of Mindy Brashears, of Texas, to be Under Secretary for Food Safety, Naomi C. Earp, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary, and Scott Hutchins, of Indiana, to be Under Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics, all of the Department